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## LEACHMAN IS RE-NAMED HEAD

### Young Democrats Hold Live Meeting.

There was an enthusiastic meeting of the Young Democrats of Prince William County on August 28 in the Court House at Manassas. The total membership now numbers 82.

After the adoption of a constitution and a set of by-laws the club elected the following officers:

President, William Leachman; vice-president of Manassas district, Noel Lynn, jr.; secretary-treasurer, J. Jenkyn Davies; vice-president of Gainesville district, Mrs. William S. Brower; vice-president at-large, M. M. Ellis.

The vice-presidents of the remaining districts will be elected at meetings held in such districts.

After the voting the club was addressed by Mr. King, president of the Fairfax County Young Democratic Club, who urged support of President Roosevelt's N. R. A. program.

On motion from the floor the resolutions committee was directed to draw up a resolution pledging support of the N. R. A. program.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at Occoquan High School Sept. 5. The next regular meeting will be held in Manassas on Sept. 12. All interested are invited to attend.

## HORNINGS AGAIN BEAT MANASSAS

### Jewelers Now Have Won Three Out of Four Games Played with the Macks.

The Horning Jewelers of Washington, D. C., once more proved their superiority over the Manassas Macks in the fourth game of a series between the two teams, last Sunday, the former having previously won 2 out of 3.

The Macks outthit the Jewelers, 16 to 9, but when it came to bringing runs in, the Jewelers' timely hitting told. The Macks had about 20 men on bases but could bring in only six runs.

The Macks took the lead at the outset of the game when they scored 2 runs with two singles and three doubles. Better base running might have enabled them to score at least 4 runs in that inning with such a bombardment of hits.

In the next inning, the lead changed hands when the Jewelers tallied 3 runs on 3 singles. They added 4 runs in the 6th inning. An error was responsible for 2 of them.

The Macks nearly snatched the game away from the Jewelers in their half of the ninth when they filled the bases with none out. However, our catcher, who had previously hit safely twice and fied out once, chose this particular time at bat to strike out. Then his battery mate hit a long fly to the Jeweler centerfielder, scoring a run, but that's all because a double play resulted when the centerfielder relayed the ball to the third baseman to catch the base-runner coming from 2nd base.

The final score was 7 to 6. The lineup was as follows:

HORNING JEWELERS AB H R	
Custard, c	5 0 0
L. Schneider, ss	5 0 1
Fellner, rf	4 0 0
H. Duryee, cf	4 1 2
C. Schneider, 3b	3 2 1
Timmons, 1b	4 2 2
Bogley, 2b	4 1 2
Duval, lf	2 1 0
Holt, if	1 0 0
Batson, p	3 0 1
Young, p	0 0 0

MANASSAS MACKS AB H R	
Woodard, cf	5 1 1
Reid, rf	5 0 2
Lynn, 1b	5 1 3
Vetter, 2b	4 0 1
Saunders, ss	5 1 4
Bradshaw, 3b	4 1 2
Chapura, lf	1 0 0
Polen, if	3 0 0
Nixon, c	5 1 2
Gardner, p	3 1 1

## SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL

There will be a called meeting of the new town council tomorrow evening to organize, elect a mayor, clerk and transact other business of an imperative nature.

## PRINCESS AT CULPEPER

Miss Ellen Bisson has been chosen princess to represent Prince William County at the Fireman's Carnival in Culpeper, September 15 and 16.

## SCHEDULE OF AGRICULTURAL MEETINGS

Instructions came from the Agricultural Adjustment Administration after holding the first wheat meetings in the county asking that all applications be filed in and returned to the County Agent's Office before districting the county into communities and electing directors to represent these communities.

For the convenience of growers, F. D. Cox, county agent, and Harry M. Love, agricultural instructor for Manassas and Nokesville High Schools, are meeting those needing assistance in filling in the application forms and to explain anything about the plan that may not be understood at the following places:

Thursday, August 31—Catharpin School, 7:45 p.m.

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Friday, September 1—Greenwich-Mayhugh's Store, 9:30 a.m.

Friday, September 1—Hickory Grove (Gossom's), 2:30 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 2—Independent Hill (Herring's), 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, Sept. 2—Bethel, Russell's Store, 2:00 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 2—Nokesville (high school), 7:45 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 2—Haymarket (Parish Hall), 7:45 p.m.

Daily—County Agent's Office, Manassas, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## 4-H MEMBERS ENJOY OUTING

The 4-H Club delegation report an interesting week at Jamestown 4-H camp. Little of the storm, except for heavy rain, was felt at the camp and with the exception of two of the tours which were abandoned on account of road conditions the program for the week moved along with little interruption.

Camp organization was taken care of by the club group which was divided into two tribes, the Pamunkeys and the Seminoles. Under the leadership of Wilda Bourne as chief, Geraldine Shepherd, scribe, and Mrs. John Clark and Tom Tyler as counselors the Pamunkey tribe scored highest in work and play.

The Pamunkeys earned fifteen notches on their totem pole while the Seminoles made eleven. Fine leadership for the Seminole tribe was shown by Leslie Bourne, who served as chief and Elizabeth Allen, scribe.

Geraldine Shepherd edited the camp paper, Northern Virginia Echo, which recorded daily the activities and news of the camp.

Well-made stools, attractive silver bracelets, full bug collections and enlivened interest in forest crops make it evident that Prince William boys and girls worked well and advantageously while in camp.

A tour of Williamsburg with Miss Mabel Massey as guide was one of the highlights of the week. The county group also visited the Capitol, museum and the White House of the Confederacy on their trip through Richmond.

Leslie Bourne was elected president of the short course for 1934 camp. With the help of club members he hopes to make this the best in the history of northern Virginia short courses.

## LABOR DAY GAMES AT MANASSAS

Two good ball games are being arranged for Labor Day in Manassas. The first, at 1:30, will be between Hickory Grove and Stonewall A. C.

The second game will be with Aldie if arrangements can be completed. In any event a good game will be scheduled. The place will be Swavely Field.

## STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETS TOMORROW

The State Board of Education will be in session in Richmond tomorrow to consider Federal aid matters and the subject generally of loans for public school projects.

## MARRIAGE RECORD

Aug. 31—Joseph Darling Jamison, of Washington, and Judith Frances Melton, of Haymarket. (The couple will reside in Washington).

## Don't fail to go to the rummage sale in the telephone building, Sept. 9, beginning at 9 a.m., held by the High School League and the Bennett School League. Work for your school.

## HOW VIRGINIA WILL SETTLE THE REPEAL QUESTION

Saturday, September 2, is the last day on which candidates may file for the Repeal Convention. The following form, or at least its essentials, must be used and placed in the hands of the Secretary of the Commonwealth before midnight next Saturday:

"I, \_\_\_\_\_, of the County of \_\_\_\_\_, declare myself to be a candidate for nomination as candidate for the office of delegate to the convention called by the General Assembly to ratify or reject an amendment to the Constitution of the United States for the Repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment and for the prohibition of the transportation or importation into any State territory or possession of the United States for delivery or use therein of intoxicating

liquors in violation of the laws thereof.

"I (do or do not) favor the ratification of the said amendment."

From those who file throughout the State selection of thirty candidates for Repeal and thirty against will be made by a committee composed of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Speaker of the House, one Democrat, one Republican named by the Governor.

On the ballot to be used October 3 will be the words, "For Ratification (for repeal)" and "Against Ratification (against repeal)." Whichever group receives the majority vote will be seated in the convention on October 25 to decide Virginia's final action on the question of Repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment.

## HOMEMAKERS TO GO TO DAVIS BEACH

### Meeting Date Changed on Account of School Opening.

The September meeting of the County Homemakers Association will be held at Davis Beach on Thursday, September 7. Lunch will be served at 12:30 and following that the business and recreational programs will be held. One of the features of the afternoon will be the bathing beauty contest in which all women and girls may compete.

The Bethel Home Demonstration Group is sponsoring a flower show which will be held at Davis Beach and will be an added attraction on the day's program.

## BRENTSVILLE LEAGUE MEETING

The Brentsville District Community Association will meet in the high school auditorium Tuesday, Sept. 5, at 8 o'clock.

Attendance at the last several meetings has been exceptionally poor, due to work, weather, weariness and what-nots.

This will be the last regular meeting under the "Shepherd" administration and this dynamic gentleman would like for it to go over with a bang. And so, he has arranged to have an unusual program of the kind that we all enjoy.

The Calverton string band is going to be on hand to do its "stuff" and your entertainment assured.

We now have our record chart and we would like to check and double-check our year's work. Therefore it is necessary that all committee chairmen be present.

And lest we forget, these chairmen are Mark Kerlin, Maxey Wood, Mrs. M. J. Shepherd, John Harpine, Miss Evalyn Kerlin and Frank Foster.

Everybody should, ought and must come either for business or pleasure, or both.

## JOURNEY TO KIWANIS CELEBRATION

Headed by Messrs. Richard Hynson and Mackall Ellis, two cars loaded with enthusiastic Kiwanians motored to Bay Ridge on Tuesday to help Governor Ed Hill celebrate the 15th annual birthday celebration of the Capital District.

Several hundred attended and the feed and speeches were greatly enjoyed.

## MOVES TO NEW HOME

J. E. Bauserman, who has been principal at Centerville for the past two years, this morning moved to Groveton, below Alexandria, where he will have charge of the new school at that point. He will have a large faculty to assist him.

## RELEASED AFTER KILLING

Binford Newman, of Egato, near Fairfax, was yesterday released by Police Judge Paul E. Brown, after having shot his father to death in a fracas on Monday night in which Mrs. Newman's life was said to have been threatened, and also Binford's.

The mother and children all testified in Binford's favor. A number of the neighbors were present, and there seemed to be no sentiment whatever against the lad.

Newman was a Spanish War veteran who had been living in the community about ten years. He drew a pension and is said to have been intoxicated more or less since his last check arrived.

## COMMITTEE FAVORS SCHOOL PROGRESS

### Public Schools Regarded as More Important Than Road Building.

House Floor Leader Ashton Dovell is authority for the statement that a change of policy is coming over the General Assembly in the matter of relative importance of schools and roads in the eyes of the appropriating body. Up to the present time road building has been the major project of the State. Nothing has been allowed to cut into the gasoline tax for roads and the welfare of the public school system has been secondary.

Facing the prospect of cutting the school term to eight months legislators have apparently awakened to the realization that our boys and girls are more important than any other possession. We can make up deficits, but the time lost from school is a permanent handicap to our future citizenship. At last this would appear to be the latest viewpoint of the Senate Finance Committee in recommending yesterday that all schools of the state be guaranteed a term of eight months, even if the state deficit should be increased.

The committee also recommended that the Governor restore half of the fifty percent cut which he has ordered in school and other general appropriations.

Commenting upon the serious situation of our school system, Delegate C. W. Moss stated yesterday, "We have definitely come to the parting of the ways. While roads are excellent and we should not hinder their construction, they are not worth so much that they justify depriving a generation of children of elementary education."

The survey being made in this county as to the damage being done by pine bark insects to our pines is convincing that there is danger that our valuable pine timber will in time pass out as has the chestnut. Thousands of our very best pines have succumbed to the ravages of several species of bark beetles with the Southern Pine bark beetle being the worst offender. Outbreaks have been located by the County Agent surrounding Sunset Hills, Hunter, Annandale, McLean, Rosslyn, near Florida and several locations in the vicinity of Pohick R. R. Station. The agent has requested both by radio and newspaper that any one noticing small cones of pitch exuding from pine trees to call it to his attention. He has several such calls now to investigate. All trees found to be infested should immediately be cut down and burned to prevent further spread of the insect. Any one doubting the danger from this pest should visit the section near Sunset Hills and see the thousands of the finest kind of pine trees that have already been killed.

Interested parties can see specimens of insects and work in the County Agent's office.

## MR. CRUPPER RESIGNS

Hon. Joseph L. Crupper, National Republican Committeeman, yesterday submitted his resignation to President Roosevelt, as collector of customs for Virginia.

## CONTRIBUTIONS TO DAIRY FESTIVAL

(Names will be published at intervals)

We, the undersigned citizens of Prince William County, hereby agree to contribute to the expenses of holding the Piedmont Virginia Dairy Festival, to be held at Manassas on September 30, in the amount set opposite our respective signatures.

Town Council, Manassas	\$100.00
Board of Supervisors, Pr. Wm.	50.00
R. S. Hynson (merchant)	25.00
Conner & Kincheloe	25.00
F. R. Saunders (merchant)	25.00
R. L. Sadd & W. C. Sadd	25.00
A. & P. Company	25.00
Sanitary Grocery Store	25.00
Buck Glass Co., Baltimore, Md.	25.00
C. P. Nelson	25.00
Harold Lipscomb	15.00
C. & P. Telephone Co.	10.00
Gulf Refining Company	10.00
Manassas Milling Company	10.00
Cocke's Pharmacy (druggist)	10.00
Jenkins & Jenkins (merchants)	10.00
A. H. Roseberry (dairyman)	10.00
P. A. Lewis (dairyman)	10.00
O. R. Hersch (dairyman)	5.00
Broadview Farm Dairy	7.50
E. H. Hibbs (merchant)	5.00
Oscar Kline (restaurant)	5.00
R. M. Weir (commissioner)	5.00
L. E. Beachley (merchant)	5.00
J. W. Smith (bakery)	5.00
J. L. Bushong (merchant)	5.00
C. L. Jacobs (dairyman)	5.00
C. R. C. Johnson (druggist)	5.00
Newman & Trusler (hardware)	5.00
W. B. Bullock	5.00
W. H. Brown, Jr., (Att'y at law)	5.00
Robt. H. Smith	5.00
J. E. Barrett (dairyman)	5.00
O. D. Waters	5.00
W. T. Thomason (dairyman)	5.00
Harvey Breeden (dairyman)	5.00
J. P. Kerlin (sheriff)	5.00
J. H. Steele & Co.	5.00
Mrs. Viola Proffitt (insurance)	2.00
Michael Papa (barber)	3.00
William Smith (P.O. janitor)	2.00
A. Roy (shoemaker)	2.00
Wm. F. Cocke	5.00

E. R. CONNER,  
Chairman Finance Committee.

## CHAIRMAN OF PARADE COMMITTEE

Mr. A. S. Boatwright will again be chairman of the parade committee of the Dairy Festival. Cleo Fitzwater and Dr. Pickeral will serve on this committee with Mr. Boatwright.

## STATE WILL PUNISH LOCAL N.R.A. VIOLATORS

The Senate Committee has reported favorably on the bill providing a \$500 fine for business firms whose business in entirety with the state who violate provisions of the National Recovery Act. The Federal law can only prosecute those engaged in interstate business.

## 4-H LEADERS TO MEET

Four-H club leaders will hold their meeting at which plans will be made for completing the work of the 1933 project year and beginning the 1934 project year on Wednesday, September 6. The meeting will begin at 10:30 o'clock and will be held in the assembly room, post office building. Miss Hallie L. Hughes, State Girls Club Agent, will be present. Club leaders will be guests of the club council at luncheon which will be served at 12:30 o'clock.

## HEALTH MEETING

The September meeting of the County Nursing Activities Committee will be held in the Red Cross office on Friday, September 8, at 2 p.m.

A summary of the work of the service for the year ending July 1, 1933, will be given and program for the current year discussed. A full attendance is urged.

## CLUB MEETING

The Catholic Women's Club of Prince William will meet at 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, September 6, at Loingill, the residence of the Misses McGill near Haymarket.

## LEGION JUNIORS DEFEAT HAYMARKET

The American Legion Juniors of Manassas defeated the Haymarket Juniors on the baseball field at Swavely School yesterday by a score of 12 to 6. A feature of the game was the fine work of "Monk" Craybill who held the Haymarket batters to the sixth inning without a hit.

## BEER LEGAL AFTER SUNDAY

### General Assembly Will Probably End Session This Week.

After midnight, Sunday, September 3, the sale of beer will be legal in Virginia. After much contention about the tax rate the General Assembly almost unanimously adopted the beer bill. The vote was 94 to 0 in the House and 32 to 4 in the Senate.

The House had followed Governor Pollard's demand for a \$3.10 per barrel tax, with a one-cent per bottle. The Senate favored a barrel tax of \$1.50 and a half cent bottle tax. After a long contention the conference finally agreed upon a barrel tax of \$2.75 and bottle tax of one cent. In many respects the compromise was a real one because it seems to have been regarded as highly unsatisfactory by both groups of contenders.

The local retail tax is fixed as follows:

Cities of the first class, \$50.  
Cities of the second class, \$25.  
County and Towns, \$10.

The law permits counties to duplicate the tax required in incorporated towns, if desired. A number of Governor Pollard's proposals were voted down, such as the \$500 and other restrictions. Delivery to retailers on Sunday is forbidden but there is said to be no restriction in the law against Sunday sale by retailers.

In all probability the General Assembly will adjourn this week. Many proposals are being urged but the prevailing sentiment among legislators seems to favor early adjournment.

Emergency matters have been acted upon to a limited extent. A commission has been authorized to study the Congressional Redistricting situation and to report at the regular session this winter. Other measures introduced have included authorization for another vote by counties which did not go into the Byrd Road Plan last year, authority to permit the Highway Department to change the route of approach to the Arlington Memorial Bridge and a bill requesting President Roosevelt to remove the restrictions in the Oil Code forbidding payment of gasoline producers of part of the state tax, as has been done near the District of Columbia to permit D. C. prices near Washington.

## BYRD PROPOSES REPEAL OF FEDERAL GAS TAX

### Believes All Gas Tax Should Belong to the States.

United States Senator Harry Flood Byrd has urged in a recent speech in Washington immediate repeal of the Federal Gasoline Tax. He believes that a substantial part of the revenue now being collected by the Federal government from this source should be remitted to the states. Instead of the present overlapping method he would have all of the gasoline tax collected at the source by Uncle Sam and then rebated to the various states in proportion to their respective purchases.

Devolitional the principal part of his address to local reforms, Senator Byrd stated that the many thousands of units of local government should be abolished. He also advocated:

A budget to be kept in balance by a central accounting office.

A central purchasing agency.

The segregation of local and state sources of taxation.

Transfer to the State of local activities that least interfere with local government.

Calling attention to the fact that taxation had increased from 8% of the national income in 1913 to 33% in 1933, Senator Byrd stated that the government now supports one-sixth of the population of the country. Counting school districts, there are over 300,000 governments in the United States.

## POSTMASTER AT ACCOTINK

J. S. Pettitt has been appointed assistant postmaster at Accotink, to succeed Mrs. Francis Walker, who has been filling the position since the death of her husband who had occupied the position. She had been acting as postmaster until May 1, when J. D. Garber became postmaster.